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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
IN SUPREME COURT  
C9-85-1506

ORDER

**In Re Judicial Vacancy and Rechambering  
Eighth Judicial District**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 480.22 the Supreme Court is authorized to designate the location of chambers of judges;

**WHEREAS**, the Honorable John J. Weyrens has been granted retirement effective February 2, 2000;

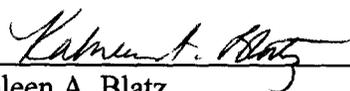
**WHEREAS**, the Supreme Court has received a request from the Honorable Steven E. Drange of the Eighth Judicial District that his chambers be moved from Benson in Swift County to Litchfield in Meeker County;

**WHEREAS**, the Supreme Court has considered the weighted caseload information regarding the relative judicial needs of the Eighth Judicial District and the views of the Eighth Judicial District judges;

**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. The vacancy created by the Honorable John J. Weyren's retirement be and hereby is certified to the Governor to be chambered at Benson in Swift County and to be filled in the manner provided by law; and
2. The chambers of the Honorable Steven E. Drange be, and hereby are, moved from Swift County to Meeker County effective upon the assumption of office by the person appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by Judge Weyren's retirement.

Dated February 14, 2000

  
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Kathleen A. Blatz  
Chief Justice